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Montreal Federation Drive Gaining Impetus

The "Save the Federation" campaign of the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies of Montreal, for $200,000 in annual subscriptions, is gaining headway day by day and full preparations are being made to conduct a high-tensioned drive during the period selected, October 22nd-26th.

All sections of the community are taking the campaign to heart and offers of services are pouring in incessantly. The assurance that the Jewish community is solidly behind the drive is a source of great inspiration to the leaders of the campaign who are already neglecting their businesses to engage in the preliminary spade-work at the campaign headquarters in the Baron de Hirsh Institute.

The complete personnel of the Campaign Committee is as follows: Honorary Chairman, Sir Mortimer B. Davis and Mark Workman; Honorary Vice-Chairmen, Maxwell Goldstein, K.C., M. A. Vineberg, S. W. Jacobs, K.C., Peter Bercowitch, K.C.; Ald. Louis Rubenstein and Ald. Lyon W. Jacobs, K.C.; Chairman, Lyon Cohen; Vice-Chairmen, Joseph Levinson, Sr.; J. Kellert and Henry Weinfield, K.C.; Treasurer, D. S. Friedman. Other members of the Committee are: R. H. Blumenthal, H. M. Caiserman, A. Z. Cohen, Lionel Covlensky, J. Elkin, Isaac Friedman, B. Gardner, P. B. Glickman, B. Goldstein, S. Gutman, Samuel Hart, Horace Joseph, David Kirsch, Sol. Kellert, J. Latt, Hiram Levi, H. M. Levine, H. M. Levinoff, J. Levinson, Jr.; A. A. Markus, J. B. Miller, Capt. Sebag-Montefiore, J. N. Neumann, Ascher Pierce, H. M. Ripstein, M. Ritteiberg, Morton Robinson, A. Rudolph, Chas. Rubin, I. M. Rabinovitch, S. Silver, N. Sloves, S. Valicovitch, B. Weiner and H. Wolofsky.

The spearhead of the campaign will be the allied trades organization. The following have agreed to act as division heads in their respective industries: Financial division, Alan J. Hart and E. E. Workman; food supplies division, H. M. Ripstein and H. M. Adelstein; real estate and transportation division, M. Fromson; tobacco division, Martin Simion and Mortimer B. Davis, Jr.; leather goods division, B. Levinson; hats, millinery and fur division, F. Leopold, E. Albert and B. Isaacs; waste materials division, Gordon Lipsey and Julius Block; drugs and chemicals, M. Albert and N. Cummings; merchandise division, Lazar Blumer; clothing manufacturers and men's wear division, S. Wener, Z. Levinson, L. Saloman and D. Kirsch; professional division, Dr. I. B. Hirshberg, Nathan Gordon and Dr. J. Rubin, and the women's wear division by Harry Rotlier.

A special employee's division, headed by A. Sommer, is arranging with the employees of all the leading clothing and ladies' wear manufacturers to work at [illegible] overtime during the campaign and to donate the proceeds of their labour to the fund. He is meeting with biggest success.

The divisional heads are engaged in enlisting industrial chairmen to head the particular industries in the allied groups. The industrial chairmen will in turn [illegible] to aid them in canvassing their trade. The organization [illegible] is meeting with great [illegible] among the workers. The plan [illegible] in larger Jewish [illegible] cities and is [illegible] results.

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Fraternities Help

[illegible] of the campaign [illegible] Zet Beta Tau [illegible] The Fraternal [illegible] Pi Sigma [illegible] chairman and members and much is expected of their energy and enthusiasm.

MONTREAL

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The Boards of the various constituent societies of the Federation, the Mt. Sinai Sanatorium, The Family Welfare Department of the Baron de Hirsch Institute, the Montreal Hebrew Orphans Home, the Herzl Dispensary, the Hebrew Sheltering Home for the aged, the Y.W.H.A., the Juvenile Aid Department, the Jewish Endeavour Sewing School, the Hebrew Young Ladies' Sewing Society and the Legal Aid Department are exceedingly interested in the success of the campaign as it involves the very existence of their respective societies. Each department is eager to make advances in the social service that they are rendering in the name of the Jewish community. All the societies stress the great need of after-care, which they are ill-equipped to pursue under the present financial strain that the Federation is suffering.

Among others, Louis Salomon, president of the Mt. Sinai Sanatorium, J. A. Jacobs, president of the Montreal Hebrew Orphans' Home, Jacob Kellert, president of the Baron de Hirsch Institute, H. M. Levinoff, president of the Hebrew Sheltering Home, and Dr. E. C. Levine, president of the Herzl Dispensary, have stated that since they have been supported by the Federation their societies have been free to concentrate on social service only and the success of the Federation plan is attested by the fact that no institution would consider reverting to the old haphazard ways of conducting their societies.

The opening meeting of the Spanish and Portuguese Young People's Assembly took place last Monday evening at the Synagogue Hall on Stanley Street. Mr. Jess Ginsberg, the president, delivered an address on "Co-operation and the Club." Miss Jessie Bloomfield, elocutionist, recited and Miss Jeanette Enzer played Saint-Saens' "Allegro Appassionata." She played as encore "Guitare" by Moszkowski. Little Edith Silverman delighted the audience with her quaint costume dances. The participants in these programmes are chosen as much as possible from among the club members, but the social evenings are open to all those who wish to attend. The next meeting will take place on October 29th, when Dr. Mark Kaufman will speak on "Medicine and the Jew." The committee has a surprise feature that will not be announced until the next meeting.

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Mr. Harry Batshaw is one of three men who have been chosen to represent McGill University in the Oxford-McGill debate, which will take place shortly.

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The Hon. Mrs. Franklin, of London, England, who arrived by the Montclare, addressed a drawing-room meeting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Cohen, Avenue Road, under the auspices of the Local Council of Women. Mrs. Franklin, who is honorary organizing secretary of the Parents' National Educational Union, spoke on the methods and psychological principles of the system of education as carried on by the Parents' Union School, founded by Miss Charlotte M. Mason at Ambleside, England, about thirty years ago. Mrs. Franklin is a brilliant woman and comes of a very distinguished Jewish family. She is a sister of the present Lord Swaythling and of the Hon. Edgar Montague who is the Secretary for India, and a cousin of Sir Herbert Samuel, the Commissioner to Palestine.

Mrs. Franklin was to have addressed the Local Council of Women, but owing to some unexpected delay her steamer arrived some days after the meeting had taken place. In order that Montreal educationalists might be given an opportunity to hear this gifted woman who has come to America to introduce the Charlotte M. Mason system of education, Mrs. Sam W. Jacobs arranged a meeting for Sunday afternoon. Among those invited to attend were several members of the faculty of McGill, the executive of the Council of Jewish Women, the presidents of the leading women's clubs, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Corcos, Dr. and Mrs. Max J. Merritt, and Dr. and Mrs. Herman Abramowitz. Mrs. Franklin left Montreal for Ottawa and Toronto, after which she will leave for the United States. Mrs. Franklin is a cousin of Mr. Ferdinand Steilman, of Montreal.

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The Deborah Chapter of Hadassah held its first meeting of the year at the home of Miss Stromberg, De l'Epée Avenue, on October 8th. Plans for the year were discussed.

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Mrs. Anna Selick, of Toronto, and Mrs. A. J. Freiman were present at the opening meetings of the Central Chapter of Hadassah and of the Queen Esther Chapter of Hadassah, which took place last Monday afternoon.

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The Lillian Freiman Chapter of Hadassah has postponed the tea and bridge which was to have taken place at the Venetian Gardens, October 14th, because of the sad bereavement of the president, Miss Reba Gross, whose brother, Dr. C. J. Gross, died very suddenly last week.

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The sympathies of the entire Jewish community are extended to the widow and relatives of Dr. Charles Joseph Gross who died of heart failure very suddenly, on October 2nd, at the age of thirty-six. Dr. Gross was prominent among Montreal Jewry. He was identified with almost all the charitable institutions in the city, and he gave a great deal of time and thought to the Ukrainian orphans and orphanages in Montreal. He was the son of the late Mr. Bernard Gross and Mrs. Rachel Gross of this city, and was born in 1887 in Montreal. Dr. Gross was educated privately and later attended the Montreal High School and McGill University. He graduated from the University of Montreal in 1907 with the degree of M.D.C.M., and practised in this city. In 1915 he married Miss Sarah Sperber, B.A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Sperber. In 1917 he went overseas with the Canadian Army Medical Corps and remained there until the armistice was signed in 1919. Dr. Gross was interested in the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies, the Montreal Dispensary, the Hebrew Maternity Hospital, the Herzl Dispensary, and many other organizations. His funeral was the largest that has taken place in Montreal for some time. Hundreds gathered to pay their last respects. He was interred at the Shaar Hashomayim Synagog Cemetery Plot. Rabbi Abramowitz officiated at the funeral services. The deceased is survived by his widow, by his brothers, Mr. Max Gross and Mr. Meyer Gross, and his sisters, Mrs. Robert Stark, of California, Mrs. Falzberg, of California, Mrs. Joe Asheim, of California, and Mrs. J. Lecker, Mrs. J. A. Besner, Mrs. Gerald Tritt, and Mrs. Joseph Cohen, of Montreal, by his mother, Mrs. Rachel Gross, and his two sisters, Misses Reba and Sylvia Gross.

Mrs. P. Cohen, formerly of 117 Laurier Avenue west, died on October 4th, at the age of 51. The funeral took place on October 6th.

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Young Judaea has started on another season of active work. The Junior Clubs are meeting in the Zionist Building and carrying out the work as outlined by the executive committee. A general meeting will be called in the near future at which over 1,000 Young Judaeans will be present. The leaders' circle meetings will resume their program of activities immediately. Young men and women students at McGill University have been invited to take advantage of the study groups which will be reorganized very shortly. These classes, which met last year for the study of Hebrew, Jewish literature and Jewish history, were extremely popular.

The library, which has been pronounced the finest Zionist Library in Canada by a prominent Zionist, has been re-opened. Miss Goldie Louis and Miss Esther Leavitt, who left for Palestine last month, have done much to make the library what it is. There are Young Judaeans from Montreal who are now settled in Palestine.

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The Young Hebrew Malbush Arumim Society is holding a tag day on October 15th to raise sufficient funds to enable its members to continue their work of clothing the poor and indigent.

This society for the last seventeen years has undertaken to keep a number of the poor and needy supplied with spring and winter clothes. It is estimated that at least $10 is spent on every child—for when possible the society supplies each girl with a dress, heavy coat, shoes or boots, rubbers and hat; and each boy with boots, rubbers, bloomers, and overcoat. Applications have been coming in very heavily, and if the Society is to help these poor unfortunates, the Jewish community must see that the Tag Day meets with a generous response. The executive committee were "at home" to their volunteer workers at the Auditorium Hall last Thursday evening. Rabbi Zlotnick addressed the meeting, dwelling on the noble work of the Society. The members of the executive are as follows:

Director of campaign, Mr. D. L. Bernstein, assisted by Mr. M. Beskin and Mr. Percy Caplan; Mr. S. Gordon, advertising department; Miss Rose Grossman, secretary; and Miss Rae Sacks, honorary secretary. The following list contains the names of a few of those who are assisting to make the Tag Day a success. Additional names will follow next week.

Volunteers: Miss Libman, Miss Rothstein, Miss M. Sharfe, Miss I. Gallery, Miss Aronovitz, Miss G. Garmaise, Miss G. Nadler, Miss J. Rudniff, Misses B. and A. Etzin, Miss Ozur, Miss R. Garrelek, Miss Gordon, Miss P. Rudnikoff, Miss Kuchinsky, Miss Abramowitz, Miss F. Rosen, Miss Jacobson, Mrs. Rubinovitch, Miss Pepperman, Miss Brofsky, Miss R. Solomon, Miss Arnold, Miss Kornfield, Miss L. Haler, Miss Feldman, Miss G. Auerbach, Miss Starke, Miss Alexandre, Miss Zidlar, Miss Grossman, Miss L. Berlin, Miss J. Cohen, Miss Amder, Miss F. Nadler, Miss Yetnikoff, Miss F. Fink, Miss C. Spunt, Miss R. Elman, Miss R. Booth, Mr. Harry Black.

The members of the Baron de Hirsch Book Club are busily engaged on plans that will make the coming Book Fair extremely interesting. Mr. A. J. Livinson, honorary sponsor, and Mr. Nat W. Jacobs, the president, have enlisted the co-operation of the leading book houses of the city. Although the programme has not yet been definitely decided upon, it is more than likely that there will be a lecture and discussions on reading, literature and libraries, on each of the three nights, that will be given over to the Fair. Among the features which will be presented are a Dance of the Magazines, Tableaux Vivants, and Shadowgraphs of Great Characters in Literature. There will be a popularity contest for the Queen of Books and many other clever innovations.

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The Local Council of Jewish Women held the first board meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. R. M. Pierce, Addington Avenue, last Friday afternoon. The members discussed plans for the winter season, and outlined the work of the club as a whole. The first public meeting, which will take place very shortly, will mark the commencement of what is expected to be a record season's work. The officers of the club for the ensuing year are as follows:—Honorary president, Mrs. S. W. Jacobs; honorary vice-president, Mrs. L. Fitch and Mrs. Edgar Berliner; president, Mrs. O. L. Kerner; vice-presidents, Mrs. M. C. Ginsberg, Mrs. P. Glickman, Mrs. Paul Saks, Mrs. J. A. Jacobs; treasurer, Mrs. A. Lesser; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. M. Pierce; recording secretary, Mrs. Jay Wolfe.

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Mr. Saul Solomon, Park Avenue, Faculty of Arts, McGill University, was recently awarded the Charles Alexander Scholarship, $150. Mr. Solomon, who is a brilliant student, was awarded the French prize when he matriculated from the Montreal High School. He took first-class honors at the end of his first year in Arts, and is now entering his second year.

Other scholarships were awarded to Selma Carl, $150, for two years, French and German; Beatrice Silverman, $150, for one year; Samuel Afrovitch, $100, for one year.

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The Dufferin School Graduates' Society will hold a regular meeting at the Baron de Hirsch Institute on October 14th, at 8.30 p.m. The annual statement will be presented; and the president will review the plans for the year. There will be nomination and election of officers. Mr. Philip Kool will play the piano and there will be a violin solo by Mr. Hyman Freedman, accompanied by Miss Pauline Konigsberg.

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Mr. Lionel Coviensky, chairman executive committee, United Talmud Torahs of Montreal, acknowledges with thanks the receipt of a cheque for $20.75 from the estate of the late Casper Rutenberg, a former Hebrew teacher who had been connected with the Hebrew Free School on St. Urbain Street many years ago.

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Mr. Lionel Coviensky, the honorary secretary of the Talmud Torah Emergency Fund for the benefit of all the Montreal Hebrew Free Schools, has sent out an appeal to the Jewish community.

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Mr. Maurice Rosenfeld, of Toronto, was a guest at the Asch-Cohen wedding which took place at the Temple Emanu-El on the fourth.

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Dr. and Mrs. Barney Burston, of Boston, Mass., who spent a few days in Montreal while on their wedding trip, were registered at the Mount Royal Hotel.

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Miss Regina Seiden, St. Joseph Boulevard, has returned from Ste. Eustache, where she spent a few months.

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The marriage of Miss Ruth Josephson, of Massena, New York, to Dr. L. W. Lerner, of New York (formerly of Montreal), was quietly solemnized at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Arthur Neumann, Ogdensburg, N.Y., on September 23. Mr. and Mrs. D. Lerner, who attended the wedding, have returned to town.

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Mrs. E. Kahan, 1764 Hutchison Street, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Karl Kussner, Iroquois Falls.

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Mrs. Harry Cohen, of Charles Street, Watertown, N.Y., who was the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Pransky, of Montreal, has returned home.

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Mrs. A. H. Rabin, 1952 Jeanne Mance Street, is spending a few weeks in Atlantic City.

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Mr. Julius Salmon, an Arts student at McGill University, is leaving shortly for France where he will continue his studies.

Miss Sallie Solomon, Park Avenue, has returned from a trip to New York City.

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The marriage of Helena Gladys, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lehberg, Querbes Avenue, Outremont, to Mr. William Marder, of New York, was very quietly solemnized on October 4th at the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue. Mr. Marder and his bride left for New York on their honeymoon prior to sailing for their future home in Los Angeles.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Redlich, Sherbrooke Street West, have closed their summer home at Strathmore for the season.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Asch, and little daughter, Jane, of Cincinnati, who were the guests of Mrs. M. Asch, Lansdowne Avenue, have returned to their home.

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Mrs. N. Ransom, of New York, who was the guest of Mrs. R. M. Pierce, Addington Avenue, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Freiman, of Ottawa, were registered at the Mount Royal Hotel this week.

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Mrs. Anna Selick, of Toronto, was registered at the Mount Royal Hotel last week.

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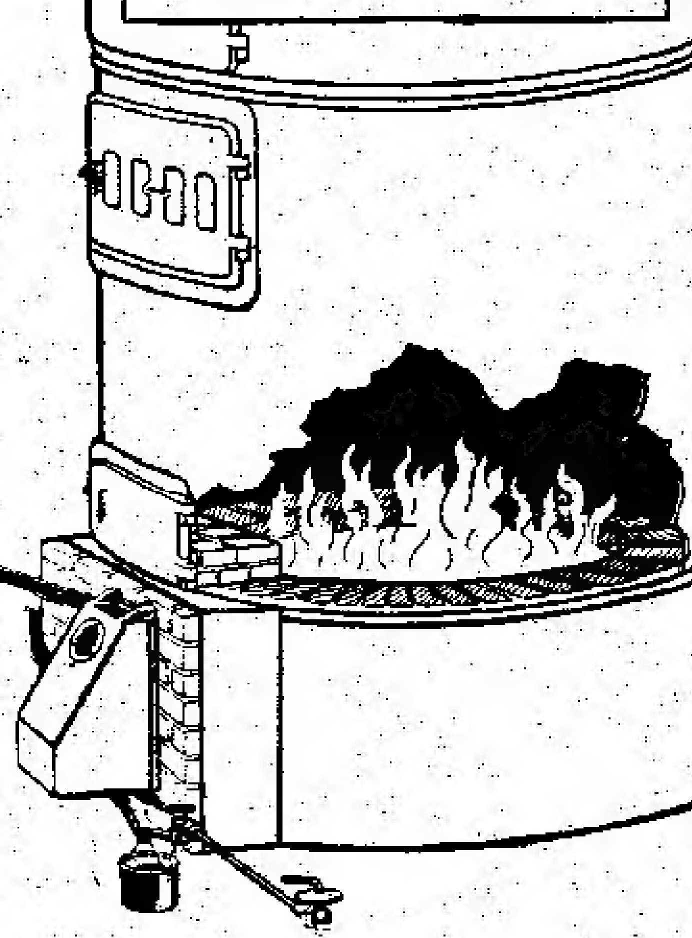

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Central Division Zionists Hear Sir Alfred Mond

"Sir Alfred Mond is often called a Balfourian Zionist, that is, a Zionist who came into being after the Balfour Declaration, but this is not a fact. He was a Zionist long before and to-day he is one of the greatest Zionists of the movement," said Rabbi Brickner in introducing the distinguished British parliamentarian, Sir Alfred Mond, who delivered an address before three hundred members of the central division of the Zionist Organization Wednesday last at the King Edward Hotel.

"Interested as I am in Empire-building," began Sir Alfred, "I am even more passionately interested in Palestine-building." He told of the doubts which he had heard expressed on all sides concerning the project for the rebuilding of Palestine, adding that people called it a dream and a chimera. "This dream is coming true in a way which perhaps you don't realize," he said.

"There is no use being ashamed of being a Jew," he continued. "It is either a misfortune or a great thing to belong to the finest race—the race which has given to the world the finest two literatures that have been produced—the Old and New Testaments. By trying to disguise the fact that you are a Jew, you incur the condemnation of right-thinking men the world over. Lloyd George is not afraid to be a Welshman. He goes down to Wales and speaks to his people."

Sir Alfred described very clearly his impressions of the land of Palestine, which he received in the course of a tour of investigation. "The sensation of standing on that soil beneath the crystal blue sky of Judæa is a sensation worth living one's whole life for. Palestine is a little jewel box, so beautiful a country is it." Naming over a number of the historical spots he had visited, "Every stone and hill is part of our history. No Jew can fail to feel it who visits Palestine," he said.

In the time of Josephus, Sir Alfred said, the population of Judæa alone had been between three and four millions. At present the whole of Palestine was populated by but 700,000 inhabitants. There was not the slightest doubt but that the land was capable of supporting a vast number more than it has been doing, and for this reason the re-establishment plan might rightly be looked upon as a good investment. "It does not matter what you are, German, Russian, Polish, Italian or English, as long as you believe in the upbuilding of Palestine," he continued.

His career in business had fitted him, said the speaker, to judge between good and bad propositions. "If the proposition were in any sense of the word a fraud, I myself would never have lifted my hand to aid it," he said. "It is as good a country in which a man may build up a future and rear a family as any I have seen," he continued. "It is a white man's country, with a climate like that of Southern Italy; it is an agricultural country, suited to the cultivation of almost numberless products, for which there are ready and profitable markets. Not only can you grow these products—oranges, grape fruit, grapes, barley, tobacco and cotton, but find ready market."

With regard to the Jews who have already migrated to Palestine, he said: "In one generation our people have reassumed the manhood which has been almost crushed out of them by centuries of persecution in the ghettos of Europe. After seeing these men and women I feel more strongly than ever the pride of being a Jew."

"The national home in Palestine will be just what the Jews make it. (Loud applause). Moreover, you cannot build homes on paper or sentiment," he said. "It takes hearts and arms. Palestine does not belong to the Zionists nor does it belong to the Russian Jews. Palestine belongs to the Jews of the world. I do not believe in spoon-feeding Palestine. Though the country is perhaps a burden at present, it will be but a temporary burden. With the help that it needs it will be able to stand alone. It is not a question of 'giving" to its support—it will pay ample dividends on any investment you can make in it. But it needs real sacrifice on the part of all who wish to further the interests of a national home for the Jews. The world will judge whether or not we make good. Failure or success will lie on Jewish shoulders.

$600 Raised Toward Council of Jewish Women Community House Extension

On March 13 a campaign was started by Miss Adelaide Cohen to raise funds for the Council of Jewish Women Community House Extension. Paper bricks were to be sold at 10 cents each, ten bricks to the block.

Although the idea was for young people's clubs, a few adults took an interest in the scheme and the first six blocks were purchased by Mayor Maguire, Mrs. Sidney Small, Health Department, Mrs. N. Brock Wilkins, Social Hygiene Council, Prof. Dale, Social Service Dept., University of Toronto, Rev. F. N. Stapleford, Neighborhood Workers' Association, and Rabbi B. R. Brickner, Holy Blossom Synagogue.

Palestine Lodge donated $50.

The Adelaide Girls gave a play and dance, proceeds of which, being $90.12, went to this fund.

A silver cup, donated by Mrs. Percy Hermant, was awarded to the Sunday School of Holy Blossom Synagogue, the children there having sold the greatest number. A second cup given by Mrs. M. Kates was won by the Junior Society of Holy Blossom Synagogue. Mary Goodman, of Holy Blossom Sunday School, Mrs. Krieger, of College Street, and Ethel Meyers, of the Jewish Girls' Club, won individual prizes of gold pencils. An umbrella donated by Mrs. Julius Eisman, President of Council of Jewish Women, was awarded to Bessie Kleinman, 11 years old, of Miss Albina Simonski's class at the Community House Sewing School. A prize of $2.50, also given by Mrs. Eisman, was won by Miss Lena Gang, of the Adelaide Girls. Miss Cohen was assisted by Mrs. M. Kates.

The following clubs and individuals participated in this campaign:

Adelaide Girls, play and dance, $90.12; Adelaide Girls, bricks sold, $47.00; Holy Blossom Sunday School, $129.60; Junior Society, Holy Blossom, $60.20; Palestine Lodge, $50.00; Jewish Girls' Club, $31.40 and $13.00; Sewing School, Community House, $29.05; Adelaide Cohen, $32.85; Junior Council, $27.50; 59th Troop Boy Scouts $23.60; Young Hebrew Women's Choral Society, $18.80; Boot and Shoe Society, $18.20; Mrs. Krieger, College Street, $13.00; Mrs. A. Levy, $10.00; Quin Decum Girls, $7.40; Deborah Girls, $6.20; 60th Troop Boy Scouts, $5.45; Jordan Athletic and Literary Society, $5.10; Herzl Zion Club, $5.00; Orion Club, $4.00; Maccabean Society, $3.60; DeSola Club, $2.80; George Eliott Girls, $1.80; Maimonides Club, 30c; Interest, $5.71; Total, $641.68.

Expense: Printing, $31.02; stationery, postage, etc., $9.65; engraving trophies, $1.50. Total, $42.17.

$600 in Victory Bonds have been purchased from the money realized.

WARNS JEWS JUDGMENT DAY IS AT HAND

Berlin (J.T.A.)—Warning that "a day of judgment and vengeance" is due for the German Jews is made by the anti-Semitic "Deutsche Zeitung."

The warning is uttered in connection with the proposal of the Morgenpost that 400 German capitalists be taken into custody before they flee from the country in an effort to escape their share of the taxes.

The "Deutsche Zeitung" declares that this is not necessary, but it urges instead that 400 Jewish representatives be held as "hostages," and that it is time, moreover, that a day of vengeance be visited upon the Jews.

REVIEW JUNIOR SECTION

All Our Cousins are invited to enter the new contest. There will be prizes for the best original story, the best original poem and the most interesting letter contributed each month. There are all sorts of things that you can write about—your experiences this summer, or last winter or the summer before last; and if you did not have any exciting times, why write about the things you wanted to happen. Just now I can think of two subjects: "What I Would Like to Be," and "The Funniest Thing I Ever Heard of." 'Course you can write about anything else under the sun . . . This is absolutely and entirely your very own contest! See?

Our rules are simple. Contestants must be under 15. Parents of contestants must be subscribers to the Review. An exception is made in the case of children who are living in orphanages or institutions of that kind.

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Dear Boys and Girls:

This may seem like an ordinary everyday letter to you, but it isn't at all. Not the least bit. Y'see, the ordinary letters are punctuated with commas and periods and the fifty-eleven varieties of dashes, whereas this one is being punctuated by all sorts of full stops—the sort of full stops that give me time to gaze out of the window. Y'see, there's a particularly nice bit of blue sky, with a seven-tower'd spire that's ever so nicely framed by my window. I know a verse that just describes that bit o'-sky:

"Through the hemless fields of heaven,
Wander wide and tracelessly,
Clouds—unshepherded, unnumbered,
Pale, ephemeral and free."

Is that new to you? Most likely—because it's from "The Daemon," by Mikhail Lermontov, a Russian poet, whose works have not been very freely translated into English. Talking of translations makes me think of something good that I can pass on to you. The other day I ran across a very good translation of Yiddish tales, by Helena Frank. A nice, big fat volume, containing all sorts of delightful stories by Sholom Alechem and Isaac Lob Perez, David Pinski and Abraham Raisin, Sholom Asch and a host of others who have written simple yet fascinating stories of our people. "The Hole in a Beigel" will be published on our page some day soon. It is by Tashrak. (That is only the pen-name of Israel Joseph Zevin.) You are now to consider yourselves introduced to my friends of these stories. I'm quite, quite sure that you'll enjoy their company every bit as much as I did. Let us hear more about the books you have been reading. After all, though our family of cousins are scattered all over the Dominion, it is very easy for us all to share our book comrades with one another. So let's hear about your favourite authors.

Cousin Judith.

AUTHORS' CLUB

THE HOLE IN A BEIGEL

When I was a little Cheder-boy, my Rebbe, Bunem-Breine-Gite's, a learned man, who was always tormenting me with Talmudical questions and with riddles, once asked me, "What becomes of the hole in a Beigel, when one has eaten the Beigel?"

This riddle, which seemed to me then to be very hard to solve, stuck in my head, and I puzzled over it day and night. I often bought a Beigel, took a bite out of it, and immediately replaced the bitten-out piece with my hand, so that the hole should not escape. But when I had eaten up the Beigel, the hole had somehow always disappeared, which used to annoy me very much. I went about preoccupied, thought it over at prayers and lessons, till the Rebbe noticed that something was wrong with me.

At home, too, they remarked that I had lost my appetite, that I ate nothing but Beigel—Beigel for breakfast, Beigel for dinner, Beigel for supper. Beigel all day long. They also observed that I ate it to the accompaniment of strange gestures and contortions of both my mouth and hands.

One day I summoned all my courage, and asked the Rebbe in the middle of a lesson on the Pentateuch: "Rebbe, when one has eaten the Beigel, what becomes of the hole?"

"Why, you little silly," answered the Rebbe, "what is a hole in a Beigel? Just nothing at all. A bit of emptiness. It's nothing with the Beigel, and nothing without the Beigel!"

Many years have passed since then, and I have not yet been able to satisfy myself as to what is the object of the hole in the Beigel. I have considered whether one could have Beigels without holes. One lives and learns. And America taught me this: One can have Beigels without holes, for I saw them in a dairy shop on East Broadway. I at once recited the appropriate blessing, and then I asked the shopman about these Beigels, and heard a most interesting history, which shows how difficult it is to get people to accept anything new, and what sacrifices it costs to introduce the smallest reform. This is the story:

A baker in an Illinois city took it into his head to make straight Beigels in the form of candles. But this reform cost him dear, because the united owners of the bakeries in that city immediately made a set at him and boycotted him.

They argued, "Our father's fathers baked Beigels with holes, the whole world eats Beigels with holes, and here comes a bold coxcomb of a fellow, upsets the order of the universe and bakes Beigels without holes. Have you ever heard of such impertinence? It's just revolution! And if a person like this is allowed to go on, he will make an end of everything: To day it's Beigels without holes, to-morrow it will be holes without Beigels! Such a thing has never been known before!"

And because of that hole in a Beigel, a storm broke out in that city that grew presently into a civil war. The "bosses" and the union of baker-hands fought on. The union contained two parties, of which one declared that a hole and a Beigel constituted a private affair, like religion, and that everyone had a right to bake Beigels as he thought best, and according to his conscience. The other party maintained that to sell Beigels without holes was against the constitution, to which the first party replied that the constitution should be altered as being too ancient and contrary to the spirit of the times. At this the second party raised a clamour, crying that the rules could not be altered because they were Toras-Lokshen, and every letter, every stroke, every dot was a law in itself. The city papers were obliged to publish daily accounts of the meetings that were held and the various parties wrote fiery polemical articles on the subject. The quarrel spread through the city until all the inhabitants were divided into two parties—the Beigel-with-a-hole party, and the Beigel-without-a-hole party. Children rose against their parents, wives against their husbands, engaged couples severed their ties, families were broken up and still the battle raged—and all on account of the hole in a Beigel.

MAIL BAG

Dear Cousin Dave:

Which is a lot friendlier than David, and I'm sure you won't mind being nicknamed. I'm making my début with a riddle, because I'm rather fond of solving them. Perhaps some of our cousins will send some others in so that I can have a good time.

The one I am sending is as follows: A boy asked a girl her name. She wouldn't tell but she said: "If you can guess it, I'll tell you whether or not you're right," and she drew the following on a piece of paper and said: "If you put one letter in each space you will have my name and nine words of three letters each." I wonder who can guess it? I'll send the answer in next week.

S		Y
D		Y
A		Y
D		Y
D		E
B		Y
S		Y
A		E
B		Y

Cousin Abe.

You're right, Abe. I don't mind being nicknamed, provided you stop at Dave. But don't go any further, for nicknames are dangerous things to meddle with.

I think I've guessed your riddle, but I'll admit it took me a long time. Come again.

Cousin David.

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Editorials

LLOYD GEORGE, GENUINE DEMOCRAT AND FRIEND OF THE JEWS

In the rousing welcome which is being so universally accorded to Lloyd George on his visit to Canada and the United States, no group is louder in its acclaim of him than the Jews. Lloyd George has championed the Jewish cause with sincerity and sagacity. His recent article on anti-Semitism and Zionism which was read by millions of people all over the world dealt the enemies of our people a heavy body blow. It pointed out in the trenchant, simple style so characteristic of Lloyd George, the intimate association between anti-Semitism and anti-Zionism, both of which spring from the same prejudice and superstition. Though his advocacy of Zionism was a stroke of good British diplomacy we are certain that it was motivated by a love for Palestine and "the people of the Book."

In a recent address Sir Alfred Mond, who is a friend of Lloyd George and a former member of the famous War Cabinet stated that "[illegible] has a deep understanding of the Jewish problem." On repeated occasions he said to Sir Alfred Mond that the Jewish opposition to Zionism was incomprehensible to him. He could see no possible justification for the accusation that Zionism involved a dual allegiance, that that his Welsh patriotism implied a divided loyalty on his own part. There is no question but that we have in Lloyd George a warm friend and admirer.

Apart from our interest in his friendship for us, Lloyd George has a peculiar fascination for all. His scintillating brilliance, shrewdness and cleverness are extremely attractive, even as they have proved extremely [illegible]. If Lloyd George did not boast so often of his Welsh [illegible] we might even be tempted to claim him as a Jew. This [illegible] is justified as an act of [illegible] gifted people are ascribed to [illegible] German, Heinz, Russian, etc. whereas [illegible] a Jew. Lloyd George must, however, remain [illegible] insist on it.

As we review the career of Lloyd George we are impressed with his [illegible] genius in keeping himself so continuously in the public eye. He is the only political leader to survive the war. [illegible] 1914 he still remains an effective and powerful force in world politics, while most of his colleagues have long since given up their political ghosts. Clemenceau, Wilson and others are just memories. Lloyd George is a living dynamo, who may yet again be premier of England. Who can tell but that his visit to America is designed as another one of his sagacious moves in this direction?

Though there is much of the idealist about Lloyd George he is always the clever politician. Before the War his advocacy of old-age pensions, health insurance, unemployment insurance, better housing for workingmen, and other such social reform legislation, led many people, especially his political enemies to regard him as a Socialist. Lloyd George is not and never was a Socialist, but he is a genuine democrat. His liberalism has been sincere and consistent throughout. Unlike Woodrow Wilson who is also a great liberal spirit, Lloyd George has none of the academic aloofness and "stand-offishness" of his American contemporary. Lloyd George has always stood close to the average man. He has always kept his fingers on the pulse of things and his ear close to the ground. He, therefore, was in a better position to understand and voice the sentiments of the masses. This is why Lloyd George remained in power so long. This accounts for the tremendous popularity which he still enjoys all over Great Britain, though his party has wilted under the fire of post-war criticism, and he is to-day only a plain citizen.

In international affairs Lloyd George proved himself a shrewd statesman. While at Versailles he never ventured too far afield in the domain of ideals. This he left to Mr. Wilson. Lloyd George is a past master at the game of diplomacy. At the peace table he proved the equal of Clemenceau, and both succeeded in putting it all over Woodrow Wilson, who as Lord Birkenhead stated the other day, brought with him to Versailles only idealism, but no knowledge of the game.

In politics Lloyd George is what H. G. Wells is in literature. Both men are neither original nor profound. They are scintillating and clever. Both are in reality journalists and popularizers, only each has chosen a different medium of expression. Of the two, Lloyd George is undoubtedly the better journalist. It may not be generally known, but Lloyd George has been in journalism ever since his early youth. They say the things which most people will believe in. They are forward looking without ignoring the necessity of consistently looking backwards in order to look forward. They are practical idealists. In the field of politics the practical idealist is subject to the temptation of opportunism. Lloyd George has often been an opportunist. He has even compromised principles for the sake of remaining in power, yet with it all he remains one of the world's great liberal statesmen and politicians, who has striven, not only to make his country greater, but in the direction of world progress.

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THE TRUTH ABOUT THE JEWS

In another column we re-print an editorial from the Kingston, Ont., Daily Standard of Thursday, September 13, entitled: "Jews as Citizens," which we commend to our readers. We do so because it contains a frank, honest and unprejudiced judgment by a Canadian editor of the Jews. It is not often that the Jew receives unbiased treatment in the press. Jewish readers are accustomed to perusing the rankest stupidities about their people in the newspapers. Sometimes these inanities are the result of sheer ignorance. This in a newspaper editor or journalist is a serious handicap. One expects those who are the formulators of public opinion to know the facts about a constitutent element of the general population as important to the life of the nation as the Jews. Yet so many newspaper men seem to write best about the Jews when wholly undisturbed by the facts. In the words of Artemus Ward, "It's not ignorance does harm, but saying so many things that ain't." Though the misinformation about the Jews in the public press which is the result of ignorance is lamentable, it is nevertheless pardonable. What we Jews resent "is the sayin' of so many things that ain't," which is not due to ignorance, but to deliberate prejudices.

In view of the stupidity of the average newspaper item about the Jew it is refreshing to read the editorial from the Kingston Daily Standard. The editor of this paper appears to be a broad-gauged independent writer who knows what he is talking about when it comes to the Jews. Would that this were more universal among newspapermen.

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JEWISH IMMIGRATION TO SOUTH AFRICA "PRACTICALLY STOPPED"

Johannesburg (J.T.A.)—At the Congress of South African Board of Deputies, held at Pretoria, Mr. S. Raphaely and Mr. Hersch (Johannesburg), moved four resolutions, protesting against the government's application to European Jews of that section of the Immigration Act that was intended for Asiatics, only promising support to the government in keeping out undesirables, and giving the incoming executive of the Board of Deputies directions in case the government introduced alternative legislation.

In moving the resolutions, Mr. Hersch said he could not discuss the immigration impasse without first re-affirming his most solemn protest against and expressing his deepest regret at the government's deliberate application of a certain sub-section of the law to Europeans which it had previously pledged itself not to apply to immigrants of the European race.

Mr. Hersch referred to General Smuts, the South African Premier, as one of the most illustrious apostles of idealism in the world, and said it was extraordinary that his government should have broken a solemn pledge.

Immigration, in so far as the Jews were concerned, had practically been stopped. During the three months of January to March, 1923, only ten Jewish immigrants arrived in South Africa, in consequence, of course, of the government's policy. Up to June 1, for the five months only, twenty-one male Jews of over sixteen years were admitted out of a total of 1,246 Europeans.

"I am satisfied," continued Mr. Hersch, "that there is no question of anti-Semitism whatsoever in the government's otherwise very unfortunate attitude. Certainly no Jew would ever cast a slur of anti-Semitism on our Prime Minister, who has proved himself one of the greatest friends the Jewish people ever had the privilege of possessing."

Having thus paid [illegible] compliment to the tribute in this respect, Mr. Hersch proceeded, "I can only express my [illegible] that it [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the Jews in South Africa need not be [illegible] [illegible] should be so drastic as to exclude the [illegible] of [illegible] Jews at present coming [illegible] the country [illegible] three months of the year.

He went on to say that the [illegible] [illegible] of Jews in certain other parts of the world [illegible] to a great extent aggravated the immigration problem in that the [illegible] were [illegible] the impression that should immigration to South Africa become [illegible] large numbers of [illegible] Jews would drift towards the country.

It was a great mistake [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] look for a new home, but [illegible] that they [illegible] to their national home in Palestine. The [illegible] and material aid rendered to the Jewish national cause by South African Jews was [illegible] [illegible] that they would rather have the larger number of their people go there and develop their national home than encourage their immigration to South Africa.

No Jewish immigrants were a public charge. The large majority proved themselves a credit to the country.

After a lengthy discussion all the resolutions were carried unanimously.

AGITATORS IN SILESIA KEEP PEOPLE EXCITED

Berlin (J.T.A.)—A wave of anti-Semitism has been sweeping lately throughout Upper Silesia attributable principally to the agitation of the German "Voelkischer" party.

The situation is at its worst in Beuthen where there have recently been staged a number of demonstrations against the high cost of living. Anti-Semites have taken advantage of these demonstrations to excite ill-will not only against Jewish merchants, but against Jews innocent of all real connections with commercial undertakings. Jews at weddings and even at funerals have been molested.

In Langendorf the rowdies invaded the Jewish cemetery demolishing a number of tombstones. In Posen a synagogue was invaded and [illegible] while worshippers were at a service.

The anti-Semitism also partakes of a political aspect. The members of the municipality belonging to the Voelkischer party, which is dominant both in Beuthen, are demanding that all East-European Jews be expelled. They also wish the expulsion of certain categories of native German Jews.

They also demand that no "business" [illegible] be given to [illegible] native or East-European Jews.

ABDULLAH GRANTS REBELS' DEMANDS

Jerusalem (J.T.A.)—Reduction of taxation and the convening of a Parliament, two of the principal demands put forward by the rebels, have been granted [illegible] by Emir Abdullah, head of the Transjordania government, following the [illegible] of a short civil war [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

The [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] of a system of [illegible] representation, the [illegible] of all [illegible].

The [illegible].

every friday

"Sometimes when people censure me,
I tell them without rancour
That for what it cost me to be free
I might have had an anchor."

Far from Rabbi Feuerlicht though we were when he attacked the Indianapolis Chronicle from his pulpit, our palm would not need to be crossed with silver to improve our understanding of what a man might say against the average English-Jewish social paper such as the Chronicle is.

The reason it is so easy for us to divine what an uninitiated assailer of the Chronicle could say is that we know the paper's virtues and we know the ways of assailers and what would be virtues to us, would be vices to them. Of course this is aside from any personal grievance the rabbi might have had when he took the pleasure of ushering the Chronicle into the synagogue, as it were.

To attack the Chronicle really in high style, one would have to say that it is not high-brow. Then from that he might pass on to observe the abundance of its advertising in columns that might better be filled with the pictures of the Indianapolis heroes who give lollypop parties for poor kids. Don't forget that the Chronicle publishes no erudite book reviews for those who want to be well versed in a hurry. And its dearth of heavy, deep intellectual articles on heavy, deep, intellectual subjects is very unflattering to its subscribers even though they buy the paper for its social news and prefer the social department to any other.

The Chronicle, since it is the average English-Jewish social paper is guilty on all these counts and lives by its guilt. Therefore we can imagine that it might even have the face to grin at the rabbi's criticism coming as it does from one of the many who don't run papers but know all about how they should be run. Perhaps the Chronicle in its chutzpah told Rabbi Feuerlicht, too, that it is not in business for the purpose of raising the high brow census in Indianapolis, or as a community philanthropy, or for the owner's amusement, but for the purpose of making him a living by printing clean news, not above the curiosity of plain people, nor beneath that of high brows.

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"'What I want to know,' asked Heidle, 'is where do we come in?'

"'We—are the instigators and conthrivers,' said the Sergeant. 'Didn't we promise Palestine to the Jews, to have an' to hold? We had a promising lot of lads in the Government at the time, and they were fixin' the terms of a stable [illegible] peace, and they run against Palestine on the map. "Palestine," says one. "Not a bit of good to us. There isn't a golf course on the whole area."

"'Why not give it to the Jews?' says another. 'With a bit of luck we might get them to go there.'

"'So we sent an army to protect them from the rapacious owner of the land, and officials to register them for unemployed pay, and money to provide them with unaccustomed luxuries—'

"'Who pays for all that?' asked Heidle.

"'We do, you an' I do—and aren't we proud to restore the Jew to his native home?'

"'If I thought they were all gone, I wouldn't [illegible] [illegible] the uniform.'"
W. P. Garland, in "The English Review."

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The Toronto Globe says: "The Canadian Jewish Review is proud of the record of Jewish students in the Jarvis Street [illegible], and [illegible] [illegible] remarks that the Globe has said nothing about the Jewish question. We have nothing to say except to congratulate the young people on their success." But the Globe did say something about Jewish students in the schools about this time two years ago. We are glad to see a more generous attitude in the Globe [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] evident by the above and hope that it is the harbinger of a new future when the daily papers will realize that [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Toronto Jews have no acquaintance [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

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Rivka says: [illegible].

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WINNIPEG

Mrs. W. Heiman and children, Aynsley Apartments, left this week for Santa Monica, Cal., where they will be the guests of Mrs. Heiman's mother, Mrs. D. Tobias, for the winter months.

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Misses Elizabeth and Rose Wodlinger entertained a few friends at tea at the Royal Alexandra Hotel Saturday afternoon, Sept. 29th, in honour of Mrs. Dave Wodlinger (Chicago, Ill.), Miss Esther Weingarden (Detroit, Mich.), Miss Yetta Tritt (Montreal, Que.), and Miss Sara Abrahams (Timmins, Ont.).

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Misses Sadie B. and Celia Black, and Miss Mollie Finesilver, were joint hostesses at an enjoyable luncheon at the Marlborough Hotel, Saturday, Sept. 29th, in honour of Miss Rae Haid, a bride-elect of next week. The table was very prettily arranged with cut flowers at which covers were laid for twelve, the guests being Miss Rae Haid, Miss Lottie Haid, Mrs. Earo Haid, Miss Stella Korman, Miss Rae Lauer, Miss Sybil Weidman, Miss Fanny Ginsberg, Miss Reva Merinberg and Miss Anne Shaen. The guest of honour was the recipient of a beautiful gift.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kline and son Leo arrived in the city recently from Vancouver, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Halter, Home Street.

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Mr. H. J. Cohen, Lisgar Avenue, Norwood, arrived home this week from Montreal, where he has spent the past month.

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Mrs. Dave Lambert, Ruby Street, entertained at a delightful bridge during the week-end in honour of Mrs. Louis Ripstein, of Vancouver. The prizes were awarded to Mrs. Lawrence Burke, Mrs. Louis Leipsic and Mrs. Sidney Goldstine, and the guest of honour was also presented with a remembrance. Those who were present on this occasion were Mrs. Louis Ripstein, Mrs. Louis Leipsic, Mrs. Dave Pereles, Mrs. Harry Geneske, Mrs. Max Steinkopf, Mrs. Sidney Goldstine, Mrs. A. J. Aronovitch, Mrs. H. J. Cohen, Mrs. A. Watson (Toronto), Mrs. Less Kauffman, Mrs. Lawrence Burke, Mrs. Harry Cohen, Mrs. Jacob Kasler, Mrs. Iven Freed, Mrs. M. H. Saunders, Mrs. R. Taylor (Vancouver), Mrs. M. Genser, Mrs. M. Fingard, Mrs. L. Levi, Mrs. Pratt, Mrs. Louis Moronick, Mrs. D. Aronovitch, and Miss Frances Boobis.

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Mr. Abraham Lechtzier, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Rose Lechtzier, Home Street, returned home this week from Toronto, Montreal and New York, where they have visited for the past few weeks.

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The annual general meeting of the Shaarey Zedek Congregation was held on Sunday, Sept. 30, at the Synagogue and was well attended. After routine business reports of the various standing committees were read. The membership committee reported a total member~~ship~~ of 199 members, which it is hoped will be largely increased next year. The Sunday School committee gave details of the past year's activities and in doing so, Rabbi Samuel showed an average attendance of about 150 children each week. He stated that four of the former teachers had left to devote their energies to the Sunday School of the Fort Rouge Congregation, two others had left, one of whom has left the city and the other owing to her approaching marriage, but they have all been replaced. He is taking the senior class, the members of which average 15 years of age.

The Sisterhood merited the thanks of the Congregation and of the community at large for their activities in Jewish welfare, devoting a large part of their time to beautifying the interior of the Synagogue, visiting the sick, and the Juvenile Court. The cemetery committee showed the vast improvements that have been made in the property under their care and were highly complimented on the results. They gave their financial report and stated that a large sum of money was still necessary to complete the undertaking, which is under the direct supervision of Professor Stoughton, the leading authority on landscape gardening. The treasurer of this committee made an urgent appeal for the amount necessary to complete the work.

The president read his report showing the entire activities of the board of management for the past year, dealt with finance and other matters and a resolution was passed by the members ordering that this report be published in detail in the next issue of the "Shaarey Zedek News."

Votes of condolence were passed to the families of members who had died during the past year and one of thanks to Mr. Philip Stephany, who has resigned the secretaryship after having served for eleven years.

A committee was appointed to go into ways and means and were ordered to bring in their report on the 14th of this month, when it will be considered by the members, and the election of officers will be held.

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Mr. and Mrs. Michael Udow, Cornwall Apartments, entertained at a family gathering Sunday evening, Sept. 30th, in honour of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Weingarden and Miss Esther Weingarden, of Detroit, Mich. The former part of the evening bridge was indulged in at which Mrs. J. J. Weidman won the ladies' prize and Mr. Victor Rackow the gentlemen's. Later in the evening a buffet supper was served, which was followed by dancing. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Weingarden, Miss Esther Weingarden, Mr. and Mrs. M. Weidman, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Weidman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Udow, Mrs. Sam Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Weidman, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Weidman, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Halter, Mrs. N. L. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Korman, Mrs. M. Vineberg, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Robinson, Mrs. A. Vineberg, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weidman, Mr. and Mrs. N. I. Maza, Misses Isobel Weidman, Edythe Udow, Clarice Udow, Miriam Udow, Roselle Udow, Ruth Udow, Sara Abrahams and Sybil Weidman, Mr. Victor Rackow.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lechtzier and little daughter arrived this week from Vancouver, B.C., and are guests at the Marlborough Hotel for a few days.

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Mrs. L. Berger, River Avenue, entertainee informally Friday evening in honour of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Weingarden.

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In honour of Miss Rae Haid, Miss Reva Mirenberg entertained a few friends at the thé dansant, Saturday, Sept. 29th, at Baroni's.

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Mrs. Less Kauffman and Mrs. Harry Cohen were joint hostesses at an enjoyable bridge, Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 2nd, in the Tapestry Room of the Royal Alexandra Hotel, in honour of Mrs. Louis Ripstein, of Vancouver, B.C. Mrs. B. Levi, Mrs. N. J. Weidman and Mrs. Albert Lyone were the prize winners on this occasion.

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Mrs. Jack Shline, who has been the guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Shline, of West Selkirk, Man., for the past few months, arrived in the city recently and is the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Balcovske, Wellington Apts., for an indefinite period.

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Montefiore News

The Montefiore Club has opened its fall season and the first social activity took place Sunday evening, Sept. 30th, when a large number of members and their lady friends assembled to participate in an enjoyable whist drive and dance which Mr. M. Morganstern, chairman of the entertainment committee, assisted by Mr. J. Chariton, had arranged. Following cards, dancing took place, for which a splendid orchestra under the leadership of Mr. Harry Stein, provided the music. The card prizes were won by Mrs. Salvin and Mr. I. Halperin.

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A much looked-forward-to event is the annual informal dance which the Montefiore Club is holding on Wednesday evening, Oct. 17th, in the ball room of the new Marlborough Hotel. The committee in charge are preparing novel attractions.

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The Montefiore Bowling League has commenced the season and will be well away to a definite start by Wednesday, Oct. 10th. There are a large number of players who are expected to show even greater results than last year, and what always adds zest to the playing is the fact that keen competition is forecasted for the various cups by the competing teams. Mr. Max Morganstern was again elected Secretary of the League.

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During the course of a recent meeting Mr. L. Finkelstein, who has been an executive member of the Club for some time past, was presented with a club bag by the members of the Club in recognition of his past services, before leaving the city to reside in Seattle, and all good wishes were extended to Mr. Finkelstein and family in their new surroundings.

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A number of smokers are being arranged for the members to take place at intervals during the coming season, at which prominent speakers will be present to deliver addresses on various subjects of interest. These smokers are always prominent and pleasing features.

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Miss Stella Korman, Wardlaw Avenue, was a bridge hostess to a number of friends Sunday afternoon, Sept. 30th, in honour of Miss Rae Haid. The prizes were won by Miss Mollie Finesilver and Miss Lottie Haid, and Miss Rae Haid was presented with a beautiful gift.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Finklestein and family left the city recently for Seattle, where they will reside in future.

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Mrs. William Balcovske, Wellington Apts., entertained a number of guests at bridge recently in honour of Mrs. Louis Ripstein, of Vancouver, B.C. The guest of honour was the recipient of a dainty gift and the prizes were won by Mrs. N. L. Green and Mrs. L. D. Morosnick. The guests on this occasion were Mrs. Louis Ripstein, Mrs. S. Hart Green, Mrs. N. J. Weidman, Mrs. Louis Leipsic, Mrs. A. E. Weidman, Mrs. Albert Lyone, Mrs. N. L. Green, Mrs. L. D. Morosnick, Mrs. Lionel Halter, Miss Esther Weingarden (Detroit), Mrs. Jack Korman, Mrs. Frank Huffman, Mrs. A. Vineberg, Mrs. Less Kauffman, Mrs. Harry Grossman, Mrs. S. L. Goldstine, Miss Sara Abrahams and Mrs. Jack Shline.

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Mrs. J. J. Weidman, Aquilla Apts., entertained at bridge Thursday afternoon, Oct. 4th, in honour of Miss Esther Weingarden. The prizes were awarded to Mrs. Douglas Rosen and Mrs. Abe Vineberg.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Weingarden and daughter, Miss Esther Weingarden, of Detroit, Mich., who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Weidman, Balmoral Place, for the past month, left Sunday, Oct. 7th, for California, where they will remain for the winter months.

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Miss Sybil Weidman, Furby Street, entertained several friends at bridge, Thursday evening, Oct. 4th, in honour of Miss Rae V. Haid, a bride-elect, who during the course of the evening was presented with a beautiful picture. The prize winners at cards were Miss Sadie Black and Miss Stella Korman, and the guests were: Mrs. M. Haid, Mrs. H. L. Weidman, Mrs. Harry Schecter, Mrs. Jack Lyone, Mrs. N. I. Maza, Mrs. N. L. Green, Mrs. J. J. Weidman, Mrs. Faro Haid, and the Misses Rae Haid, Lottie Haid, Sadie Black, Celia Black, Rae Lauer, Fanny Ginsberg, Marion Korman, Stella Korman, Anne Skaletar, Rose Skaletar, Madeline Epstein, Anne Shaen, Yetta Tritt, Rita Shragge, Isobel Weidman, Mollie Finesilver and Reva Merimberg.

RE-ORGANIZATION OF Y.M.H.A. DECIDED ON

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Re-organization of the Young Men's Hebrew Association of Winnipeg on a basis of greater power and benefit in the community of Jewish young people, was decided at a meeting of the Bnai Brith last night, to which members of the Montefiore club and the Y.M.H.A. had been invited.

After hearing an address by Jacob L. Wiseman, prominent Philadelphia lawyer, and member of the executive council of the Jewish Welfare board of New York, which supervises Y.M.H.A. and Y.W.H.A. work in Canada and the United States, the meeting went on record as favouring a revival of interest in the Winnipeg organization, and instructed the executive to go into ways and means.

Mr. Wiseman is travelling across the continent, advising local Y.M.H.A.'s and raising funds for the work generally.

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DEMOCRATS SAY MUSCLE SHOALS WOULD PROVE FORD'S UNDOING

Washington (J.T.A.).—According to gossip here, many of the Democrats believe that Henry Ford's aspirations towards obtaining the Muscle Shoals concession will prove the undoing of his presidential candidacy. The argument is that if Mr. Ford gets the Federal nitrate and power plant in Alabama, he automatically will become a government contractor, or at least be immersed in such interlocking relations with the government that he would be ineligible to hold Federal office. In that event, Democratic politicians contend, this would constitutionally bar him from the presidency. In addition to the Southern democratic support, which may be counted on as certain to ratify the concession, the Farm bloc, according to Senator Capper, is expected to come out as a unit for the granting of the concession to Ford.

INSURRECTION AGAINST ABDULLAH SUPPRESSED, PALESTINE GOVERNMENT STATES

Jerusalem (J.T.A.).—The Government of Palestine has issued a statement regarding the uprising in Transjordania, declaring the tribesmen have been dispersed after thirty of their number were killed by the government forces, whose "casualties" amounted to one slightly wounded. The statement follows:

"Unrest and dissatisfaction which for some time existed in the southern section among the Adwaan tribe, culminated on Sunday by a force of tribesmen cutting the road and telephone communication between Es Salt and Amman, holding up traffic throughout Transjordania.

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Sabbath Services

The regular Sabbath morning services, with choir, will be held on Saturday morning, October 13, at 10.15. Rabbi Brickner will preach.

Services at the Holy Blossom Congregation are open to all, and the general and Jewish public is always invited. The membership of the Congregation is especially urged to make their attendance at the Sabbath morning services regular and habitual. The Friday evening lectures will commence on November 2.

Teachers' Training Group

Those interested in a religious teachers' training group are being organized by Rabbi Brickner to meet fortnightly. The teachers of the Holy Blossom congregational schools will form the nucleus of this group. Subjects of instruction will be "Child Psychology," "Principles and Methods of Religious Pedagogy," and "The Curriculum of the Sunday School."

This group is open to young people who have academic training and who are anxious to become Sabbath school teachers, or to young people who are already doing religious school work and who are anxious to secure a better knowledge of their subject. They may communicate with Rabbi Brickner, Hillcrest 5767, or by writing to 602 Lonsdale Road.

The Rabbi

The Rabbi requests members of the Congregation that when they require his services for weddings and funerals not to make or announce dates until after having consulted with him. The Rabbi will be glad to call on the sick and the shut-ins whenever asked.

Your Address

Members who change their addresses are kindly requested to telephone the office of Mr. E. F. Singer, Hon. Secy., Adelaide 0122, in order to receive congregational notices.

Jahrzeit

Owing to the fact that full morning and evening services are not conducted in most liberal congregations, the late Dr. Gotthard Deutsch, formerly Professor at the Hebrew Union College and a scholar of renown, ruled that those desirous of reciting the Jahrzeit Kaddish in memory of their departed, may do so on the Sabbath evening and Sabbath morning [illegible] after the anniversary of the day the death occurred. If the anniversary should happen to fall on the Sabbath, Kaddish should be recited on the day and the evening before. Members of the congregation, however, desirous of reciting the Kaddish on the evening of the Jahrzeit anniversary, may arrange to do so by holding a service in their homes when the Rabbi or Mr. [illegible] will read the evening service. In such case the Rabbi should be notified [illegible] in advance.

Notes

On Wednesday evening, October 3, Rabbi Brickner delivered an address at the [illegible] of the Queen City Masonic Lodge [illegible] at the [illegible] Harrison Masonic Lodge. About 350 people were in attendance. The subject of the address was, "Needed, a New International Mind."

On Monday evening, October 8, Rabbi Brickner repeated this lecture before several hundred members of the Stevenson Masonic Lodge. On Tuesday, October 9, he spoke at the banquet of the World Brotherhood Conference, which was held in the large hall of the Congregational Church, Bond and Dundas Streets, Toronto, on "The Implications of Brotherhood."

Sisterhood

Members of the Sisterhood and their friends are cordially invited to attend a bridge on Tuesday afternoon, October 16, at the Synagog chambers, 115 Bond Street. Tickets may be obtained from the convenor, Mrs. Jule Allen, 58 St. Andrew's Gardens, Randolph 1143, before Tuesday morning. The Gift Shop will be open to all members and their friends on the afternoon of the bridge.

The following have contributed to the flower fund of the Synagogue during the month of September: Mr. Sol Koplar, Mrs. B. Goldstein, Mr. Leo Frankel, Mr. Elly Marks, Mrs. Sig. Lyons, Mrs. B. R. Brickner, Mr. Abe Lyons and Mrs. Nathan Phillips (donations collected).

The Sabbath School of the Sisterhood meets every Saturday afternoon at the Y.M.H.A. Over 100 children were enrolled last Saturday. Mrs. B. R. Brickner addressed the assembly. The course of instruction includes Hebrew, Bible history and religion. The pupils are also taught the synagogue responses. Mrs. Harry Marks, principal, together with a staff of six teachers, conducts the school.

A meeting of the Sisterhood will be held next Tuesday afternoon.

A recent undertaking of the Sisterhood has been the organization of a Junior membership, for unmarried daughters and sisters of members of the Congregation. Those who have not yet been asked to join are requested to get in touch with the President, Mrs. B. R. Brickner, Hillcrest 5767. All Juniors are invited to attend the bridge on Tuesday afternoon.

Junior Society

The first regular meeting of the Junior Society will take place on Sunday, October 14, at 8 p.m., in the Synagogue Chambers. These meetings are open to all who are interested in the work of the Society.

McCAUL STREET SYNAGOGUE LADIES' AUXILIARY

An enjoyable evening was spent at the Ladies' Auxiliary, McCaul Street Synagogue at the opening meeting, which was given in the form of a stocking contest. Rabbi Gordon gave an interesting talk. Registration of scholars for the Hebrew School will be opened Sunday, October 7. A splendid staff of teachers have been appointed for Hebrew. To date a large number have be enenrolled. Registration is open to all children, Sunday, October 14, at 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

SAMUEL FELS, PROTOTYPE OF COBB STORIES, DEAD AT NINETY

Paducah, Ky. (J.T.A.)—Samuel Fels, recognized here as the original of "Mr. Felsberg" in Irvin S. Cobb's "Judge Priest" stories, and one of the pioneer wholesale merchants of Paducah, died here a few days ago following a brief illness of pneumonia.

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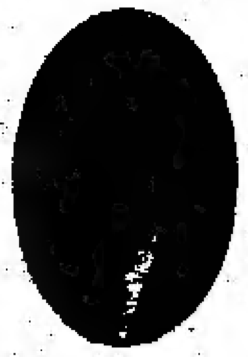

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In honour of Sir Alfred Mond, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Cockshutt entertained at tea at the Government House Wednesday last. His Honour, Mrs. Cockshutt and Miss Cockshutt, with Colonel Fraser in attendance, received the guests in the large rose drawing room which was a bower of autumn flowers and ferns. Among those present were Mr. Hugh Mond, son of Sir Alfred, Mr. Emile Mond, brother of Sir Alfred Mond, Mr. Sigmund Samuel and Mr. Lawrence Samuel. Mr. Sigmund Samuel, Madison Avenue, also entertained the distinguished guests.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Gelber, Lowther Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hermant, Cluny Crescent, left Wednesday last to attend the wedding of Mrs. Gelber's and Mrs. Hermant's sister, Miss Rosalie Morris, to Mr. H. I. Kert, which took place Thursday last. Mr. and Mrs. Gelber will return during the week-end. Mr. Hermant left for Vancouver and Mrs. Hermant is remaining in Montreal for three weeks.

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Sir Mortimer Davis, of Montreal, was a guest in the city for the week-end at the King Edward Hotel.

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Mrs. E. F. Singer, Wells Hill Avenue, has as her guest Miss E. M. Feuercht, of New York.

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Miss Helen Finberg, Brunswick Avenue, has returned from New York.

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Mrs. S. Lorie and Miss Lillie Lorie, Clarendon Avenue, are back from New York.

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Mrs. J. Carrick, Westmount Avenue, formerly of Montreal, entertained a number of friends Sunday at a dinner party.

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Miss Esther Keyletz, ~~Northcliffe~~ Boulevard, entertained a number of friends at her home Sunday evening.

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Mrs. J. Ross, Bracondale Hill Road, returned from a short visit to Buffalo.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Vise are residing at Cedarvale Mansions.

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Miss Betty Levine, of New York, who is the guest of Miss Mena Berger, Grace Street, is visiting with friends in St. Catharines for a few weeks.

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Mrs. M. D. Peterman entertained at bridge Friday evening last.

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Mrs. H. Fine, Thorburn Avenue, entertained Sunday last in honour of her sister, Miss Ida Rubin, who left to resume her training at the Barnert Hospital, Paterson.

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Miss Selma Davis, Rusholme Park Crescent, entertained at a delightful miscellaneous shower in honour of Miss Bertha Smith, a bride-elect of next month. Mrs. S. Kaufman and Mrs. J. Carrick assisted the hostess.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross, Bracondale Hill Road, asked a few friends in to dinner during the week-end. The guests of honour were Cantor and Mrs. M. Saiz.

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The Boot and Shoe Society held an enjoyable handkerchief shower Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Lieberman for the "Y" bazaar.

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Miss Pearl Pearlman, Danforth Avenue, recently returned from Detroit, where she stayed for a year.

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Miss Celia Switzer, Grange Avenue, has left to spend four weeks in New York City. While there she will be a guest at the Hotel Astoria.

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Miss Ida Rubin left Saturday to resume her nurses' training at the Barnert Hospital, Paterson, N.J., after visiting in the city for five weeks with her sister, Mrs. H. Fine, Thorburn Avenue.

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Mr. S. Bernstein has left for New York. The address of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bernstein, 75 Graham Road, has been changed to 50 Hillholme Road.

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Miss Mollie Fisher left for New York, where she will spend the winter.

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Miss Mena Berger, Grace Street, entertained a few friends Sunday evening in honour of Miss Betty Levine, of New York and Mr. and Mrs. H. [illegible] of Detroit.

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Mrs. J. Selick, Messrs. David Dunkelman and M. Gelber were in Montreal to attend the National Executive meeting of the Zionist Organization of Canada, which was held Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. Segal, [illegible] Brunswick Avenue, announce the engagement of their son, Maurice to Miss Betty [illegible], daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. [illegible], Ottawa.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. [illegible], Beverley Street, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Mollie, to [illegible], eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. B. [illegible], Toronto.

A pleasant event took place at the Jewish Children's Home Sunday afternoon, on the occasion of the [illegible] given in honour of the [illegible] of Philip [illegible]. The guests, numbering two hundred, were received at the entrance of the spacious dining room, which was prettily decorated with autumn flowers and ferns, by the president, Mrs. S. [illegible], and vice-president, Mrs. [illegible]. The [illegible] table was [illegible] with autumn flowers [illegible] baskets [illegible] committee, including Mrs. [illegible], Mrs. [illegible], Mrs. [illegible], Mrs.

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The young ladies of the Menorah Society [illegible] at the tea hour, Sunday afternoon, at the home of Miss [illegible], Markham Street. The [illegible] season [illegible] new members. Miss [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] New York [illegible]

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Hadassah in Full Swing

Western chapter of Hadassah held their first meeting of the season Monday afternoon. Plans for the coming season were discussed. Election of officers resulted in the following: President, Mrs. A. B. Bennett; vice-president, Mrs. M. Davis; secretary, Mrs. Pivnick; treasurer, Mrs. Seltser. The Chapter is taking the convenership under Mrs. Ellis, of the Palestine Booth at the Talmud Torah and "Y" bazaar.

The Deborah Chapter of Hadassah held their opening meeting on Sunday afternoon in the form of a bridge at the home of Miss Nellie Cohen, Nassau Street. The officers elected are: President, Miss Nellie Cohen; vice-president, Miss Lena Papernick; secretary, Miss Rose Eisenstein; treasurer, Miss Dolly Fisker; executive, Miss Rose Finkelstein [illegible], Miss Vera Levy.

On Tuesday afternoon a miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. B. Weiss, 593 Huron Street, in aid of the Jewish Old Folks' Home bazaar, which takes place November 19, 20 and 21. Those who assisted were: Miss Edythe [illegible] and Miss Ruth Weiss. Mrs. M. J. Weiss and Mrs. S. Hollinger poured tea and coffee.

Rabbi [illegible] will be the guest of the opening joint meeting of all the Hadassah Chapters which will be held at the Zionist Building next Monday afternoon. Plans for the entire season's activity of the Council will be presented. The president and officers of the Rose Chapter are the hostesses for the afternoon.

The opening meeting of the season of the Hadassah Council was held at the Zionist Institute last Thursday evening with representatives of all the chapters present. Plans for the Zionist Council Theatre Night and the Annual Hadassah Yarid were discussed and adopted.

Mrs. Schwartz, convener of the sewing and Hadassah hospital supplies, presented her plans for her committee. A report of National Fund was submitted by the chairman and it was decided that every chapter have a special National Fund and a sewing convener.

A report of the Palestine booth at the Talmud Torah and "Y" bazaar was [illegible].

By [illegible] the Rose Chapter [illegible] the opening joint meeting of the [illegible] the Miriam Chapter [illegible].

The [illegible] Chapter held their meeting at the Zionist Building last Monday [illegible] arrangements were made for [illegible] the Chapter [illegible].

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Berlin, (J.T.A.)—The reported visit of Professor Albert Einstein to Russia will not take place. The Jewish scientist was invited to visit the Soviet land, but he has announced that he has not accepted the invitation.

No reason is given by him for the declination.

MONARCHIST ANTI-SEMITES SPLIT OVER PRINCE

Munich (J.T.A.)—A break has taken place in the monarchist and anti-Semitic circles of Germany as the result of the [illegible] developed between Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, the monarchist [illegible] and General Ludendorff. [illegible] "[illegible]" is supporting the prince.

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Council of Jewish Women Fall Fete

Members and friends of the Senior Council of Jewish Women came in numbers to make the fall fête a success Monday last. Mrs. F. Cross, general convenor, was as usual successful in obtaining energetic assistants for the different booths, which were prettily arranged with orange crepe papers, orange flowers and autumn leaves. The booths were convened by: Meats, Mrs. S. Simonsky; cakes, bread and rolls, Mrs. I. Miller; fish, Mrs. M. M. Cohen; jams, pickles and salads, Mrs. Maurice Cohen; Mrs. A. Rosenthal, candy; Mrs. B. Harris and Mrs. Harry Marks, ice cream; Mrs. M. Gedzaeler gift shop. Mrs. Isidore Miller was in charge of the supper table, and the Junior Council, under the direction of Miss Ray Jacobs, looked after the tea room. Mrs. S. Harris and Mrs. Weeds directed the juveniles at the fishing pond and balloons. Mrs. Ralph Raphael told fortunes, while Mrs. B. Raz and Mrs. L. Lanson were the finance convenors.

ORION CLUB

The Orion Club held their fall elections on Sunday, September 7, at the club-rooms, and the following were elected: President, M. Feigenblatt; vice-president, P. Caplan; treasurer, J. Caminsky; recording secretary, H. Arnoff; financial secretary, J. Naftolin; auditor, H. Goldstein; marshall, B. Leibesman; social chairman, N. Skolnick.

The opening fall affair will be held at the club rooms on Saturday, October 13. The club-rooms have been newly decorated under the careful supervision of Messrs. H. Arnoff and M. Feigenblatt. Installations of officers will be held at the affair. Many new novelties will be in vogue.

The Orion Bowling League will get under way Friday, October 12. The manager, A. G. Richtiger, has chosen four evenly matched teams captained by Messrs. N. Skolnick, M. Feigenblatt, B. Leibesman and J. Caminsky. Competition will be very keen as a cup will be presented to the winning team and medals to the players on the winning team. Special medals will be given to the high bowler of the season, high bowler for three straight games and high bowler for single games.

JUDAH GIRLS' CLUB

A regular meeting of the Judah Girls' Club was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Benjamin, [illegible] Shaw Street. Miss Lillie [illegible] was the winner of a china set which was raffled to boost proceeds of Talmud Torah. Arrangements are now being completed for an open meeting and entertainment to take place in two weeks for members and friends.

JEWISH CHILDREN'S HOME ELECTION

The first monthly meeting of the Jewish Children's Home was held at the [illegible] building on Thursday [illegible]. Mrs. [illegible] was hostess. [illegible]

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SOCIETIES CHOOSING GIRLS FOR POPULAR CONTEST AT BAZAAR

For the Harvest Festival of the [illegible] Talmud Torah, the publicity committee is distributing posters in the stores and public places, and auto stickers are being prepared with announcement of date and place. Rabbi [illegible] Siegel, Mr. M. S. Pill, Mr. Joe Harris and Mr. [illegible] have been chosen on the executive board and all legal work will be under their supervision. Mr. Archie [illegible], chairman of the program committee, reports great progress. Mrs. M. S. [illegible] and Miss Manila [illegible] [illegible]. Tickets have been distributed to nearly all the organizations throughout the city. [illegible] Harvest Festival [illegible]. Tickets with voting slips for the popular girl contest are now on sale. [illegible] Announcement of the girls chosen from the various societies will appear in next week's issue of the Review.

JUDEAN CHESS CLUB

An organization meeting was held on Sunday, September [illegible] of the Judean Chess Club [illegible] was registered. [illegible] Rosen, president; [illegible]

HERZL ZION CLUB

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LORD SWAYTHLING'S DAUGHTER TO SPEAK BEFORE 10TH TRIENNIAL CONVENTION OF COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN

New York.—A daughter of the first Lord Swaythling, the Hon. Mrs. Ernest L. Franklin of London, England, will address the Tenth Triennial Convention of the Council of Jewish Women when it meets in St. Louis [illegible] November [illegible]. [illegible]

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Jews as Citizens

(From the Kingston, Ont., Standard)

The figures in our columns on Monday as to the increasing number of Jews in Canada draws attention to the interesting historical question of Jews as citizens. The figures showed that while in 1901 there were only 16,000 Jews in Canada, in 1921 there were 126,000, for the most part in Toronto, Montreal and Winnipeg; but it is to be noted that there were only three Canadian cities of 5,000 or more population in which there were no Jewish residents. Since 1921 there is no doubt that these figures have increased.

In this connection it may be recalled that Frederick the Great said that oppression of the Jews never brought prosperity to any Government, and he had good opportunities of judging of this during his times, and of how history confirmed this view. Indeed, the history of the Jews in many respects is a tragedy, particularly in relation to the oppression of them as citizens. It is no credit to modern times that this continues in many lands, as witness the abominable "pogroms," which is a characteristically Russian word, as applied to the Jews, of riotous devastation, cruelty and destruction. But history substantiates the truth of the words of Frederick the Great, as any one can learn who chooses to trace the records of nations. A present instance is that of Russia. Compare that with the history of Great Britain so soon as she led in fair and just treatment to the Jews.

There are good reasons for this contrast so far as the Jews are concerned, in building up the prosperity of the countries in which they are treated equitably. It is the character of the Jews which tells. Those people who have studied and know them well, appreciate that they are a wonderfully clever race, and have produced statesmen, financiers, artists, musicians and philanthropists, of whom the world can be proud. Disraeli, later known as the Earl of Beaconsfield, was a statesman whose name will always be connected with the glory and progress of the British Empire; the Rothschilds, the Goldsmids and the Solomons were great financiers and are so still, and they had and have great fellow-financiers on this side of the water, such as the late Jacob Schiff, head of the banking house of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., New York, James Speyer, of Speyer & Co., the banking house, the Strauss Brothers and many others too numerous to mention, while in the mercantile world the names of successful upright and progressive Jews are legion. Indeed, Jews of outstanding character and prominence are found in every walk of life and for this reason it is needless to mention the names of Jews known as magnificent artists, musicians and authors; while the name of Montefiore stands out prominently amongst many other philanthropists.

It must be a great race which can produce such men and a race possessing many high attributes—patience, endurance, courage, diligence, and a peculiar acumen in recognizing the vital points of any subject. Thus in finance and business it is seen how quick they are to see when the best opportunities present themselves and it has almost passed into a proverb that where there are Jews there will be found prosperity. It is therefore satisfactory to find that there are Jews to be found in almost all of the cities of Canada. It is a tribute to Canada that the hard-working, law abiding and clever race sees in the Dominion a country which particularly meets their special capacities comes up to their requirements as one which will be great and prosperous, and towards whose upbuilding they themselves can do so much.

OTTAWA

Miss Bella Pearl is spending a few weeks in Montreal visiting relatives.

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The Misses Mary and Bea Benwick attended the Cohen-Asch wedding in Montreal. Miss Mary Benwick is spending a couple of weeks there while Miss Bea Benwick has gone to Buffalo, N.Y., for a short stay.

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The Misses Elsa and Evelyn Rosenthal left on a motor trip through the Adirondacks and Berkshire Hills, with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosenthal. They will be gone about ten days.

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Miss Marjorie Freedman, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mrs. A. Rosenthal.

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Mrs. Chas. Horwitz and children, of Montreal, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Horwitz.

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Mrs. B. Goldfield is in Montreal for a few days visiting her mother, Mrs. E. R pp.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Bregman, at 167 King Edward Avenue, entertained at a delightful dinner in honour of their friends. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Margosches, Mr. and Mrs. I. Azmier, Mr. and Mrs. H. Berlin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Torontow, Mr. and Mrs. M. Horwitz, Mr. and Mrs. M. Finklestein, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smolkin, Miss D. Dalpe, Miss B. Azmier. Out-of-town guests were Miss R. Smolkin and Mae Bregman.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Glatt, 67 Nelson Street, entertained at a delightfully arranged farewell party in honour of their son, Mr. Manny Glatt, who will leave shortly for New York, where he will enter on his second year in medicine at Columbia University. Mr. J. Freedman contributed several delightful violin solos. During the refreshment hour the hostess was assisted by Misses Sarah Tradburk, Fay Rosen and Shirley Glatt.

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A charmingly arranged reception was held Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe Shenkman, when they entertained in honour of the bar-mitzvah of their youngest son, Harold. Rabbi Jos. D. Berger officiated at the confirmation service Saturday morning, held at King Edward Avenue Synagogue. Mrs. Shenkman was assisted in receiving by her son, Harold, and her mother, Mrs. S. Osman, of Montreal. The rooms and tea table were artistically decorated with autumn leaves and blooms. Mrs. A. Weiss assisted the hostess in the drawing room, while the table was presided over by Mrs. J. Rosenstein, Mrs. H. Frankel and Mrs. S. J. Levine. They were assisted by the Misses Elsie, Jean and Dolly Osman, Lillian and Goldie Levine, Ida Yaphey, Sadie Shenkman, Beck Sugarman, Anne Holzman and B. Tafferty. Among the out-of-town guests present were: Mrs. S. Osman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Weiss, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rosenstein, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Levine, Mr. Manuel Levine, Miss B. Tafferty, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rothschild, Mr. Dan Rothschild, the Misses Elsie, Jean and Dolly Osman, Miss Bella Leavitt, Miss Ida Yaphey, and Master Selig Weiss, all of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. H. Frankel and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Kweskin, of Stanford, Conn.

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Junior Hadassah Tea

The initial weekly tea of the season of the Junior Hadassah Chapter was held on Sunday afternoon at the home of the vice-president, Miss Anne Freedman. A paper dealing with re-organization work in Palestine was read by Miss Faye Zivian. This literature is prepared by the Women's International Zionist Organization, in London, England, and is distributed among the various chapters. Booklets of Zionist stamps were given to the members to be disposed of, the money raised in this way to be devoted to the work of Hadassah.

Miss Olive Pullan, president of the organization, assisted the hostess in receiving. The tea table, which was prettily centred with gladioli, was presided over by Mrs. A. H. Coplan.

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and Mrs. A. Glickman. They were assisted during the tea hour by Misses Bertha Slonemsky, Molly Sachs, Faye Zivian, Olive Pullan, Helen Abelson, Molly Millar, of Cornwall, Anne Holzman and Beck Sugarman.

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Election of Officers, Rideau Street Synagogue

The annual meeting of the Ottawa Congregation of the United Brethren [illegible] Rideau Street Synagogue was held [illegible] the vestry room of the synagogue [illegible] Sunday evening. The retiring president, Mr. A. Betcherman, addressed [illegible] on relinquishing his office. A [illegible] financial statement was [illegible] which reflected great credit [illegible] the retiring officers. The election [illegible] resulted as follows: President, Mr. [illegible], by acclamation; vice-[illegible] Mr. S. Cohen, re-elected by [illegible] secretary, Mr. Louis Cap[illegible] by acclamation for the [illegible] assistant secretary, Mr. [illegible] re-elected by acclamation; [illegible] Mr. H. Dover, by acclamation; [illegible] Messrs. M. Lif, A. Cleet, [illegible] M. B. Margesches, Mr. A. [illegible] a very capable returning [illegible] and Mr. H. Finklestein and Mr. M. [illegible] acted as scrutineers. The [illegible] of the directors of the Ottawa H[illegible] School will be taken up at the [illegible].

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Y.M.H.A. Election

Mr. [illegible] Zivian was elected president of the Y.M.H.A. at the reorganization [illegible] held last Thursday evening at [illegible] King Edward Avenue Hebrew [illegible]. Other officials elected were: [illegible] Jack Bilsky and Dave B[illegible] secretary, Sam Roodman; treasurer, [illegible]; executive committee, [illegible] Greenberg, Sam Lepofsky, Chas. [illegible] H. Bloom, Gerdon Caplan and [illegible]. The meeting was well [illegible] and about thirty-five paid-up [illegible] were enrolled. An active [illegible] was arranged in both [illegible] and athletic branches. No. 4 fire [illegible] Cumberland Street, has been [illegible] for the winter months, and gym [illegible] will be held twice a week, [illegible] immediately. A meeting will [illegible] held in the near future to complete [illegible] for the winter's work. [illegible] members of the board of [illegible] present were: Mr. A. J. Freiman, Mr. Sam Bilsky and Mr. H. [illegible].

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Election of Officers, Murray Street Synagogue

At the annual meeting of the Murray Street Synagogue held last Sunday [illegible] the executive committee were [illegible] elected to office. These [illegible] president, M. Steinberg; [illegible] M. Lachovitz; [illegible] M. Suffering; treasurer, A. [illegible] N. Siak, G. Applebaum; [illegible] board of directors to the [illegible] Hebrew School, L. Lachovitz, M. [illegible] A. Noller, K. Applebaum. [illegible]

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Ladies' School Auxiliary

[illegible] Auxiliary of the Ottawa H[illegible] School held its first meeting of [illegible] Thursday night at the [illegible] Avenue Hebrew Institute. [illegible] Mrs. A. J. Freiman, [illegible] Rabbi B. Lune [illegible] meeting and stressed the [illegible] of the Auxiliary in making the school [illegible]

[illegible] said the Rabbi [illegible] the Hebrew [illegible]

[illegible] addressed [illegible] with the mothers. Mrs. Freiman expressed the desire of the auxiliary to co-operate with the men's auxiliary in any way possible.

An active season's programme was arranged, the first entertainment to be held about the middle of the month at the home of Mrs. M. Loeb, Wilbrod Street, to take the form of a money shower and card party.

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Honorary Officers of the Junior Hadassah

Last week's report of the result of the election of the local Junior Hadassah omitted to state that Mrs. A. J. Freiman was appointed honorary president and Mrs. Harris, of Montreal, honorary vice-president.

HAMILTON

Mr. G. Wiseberg and Miss Sadie Bormotored to Toronto for the week-end, and were the guests of Miss Esther Freed, Bellevue Avenue.

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Sol Shapiro has left for Buffalo to enter Buffalo University to complete his study of pharmacy.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Pearlstein, accompanied by Mr. W. Shapiro, motored to Buffalo for the week-end.

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Miss Bella Silvert spent the week-end in Kitchener visiting her cousin, Miss Ida Florence.

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Mr. H. Steinberg and family motored to Toronto where they spent the week-end.

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Miss Marie Hochberg was in Hamilton over the week-end.

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Miss Lillian Blumenthal spent the week-end in Toronto, the guest of her brother, Joe Blumenthal.

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Mr. Dewey D. Bloom, who is leaving to make his home in New York City, was presented by his associates in the Canadian Westinghouse Company where he has been employed for the past seven years, with a pair of gold cuff links and a pearl tie pin. Mr. Bloom has been identified with the Hamilton Tennis Club, with the executive of the Progress League of Anshe Sholom and the Workers' Educational Association, the latter organization giving him a gold pencil at the last executive meeting in token of his services.

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Miss Stella Shapiro, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Kaplansky, 14 Rutherford Avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. Steinberg and Miss Lena Steinberg motored to Toronto on Sunday.

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Miss Stella Shapiro, of Montreal, is the guest of Miss H. Morris, 2 Rutherford Avenue.

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Mr. Jack Glass was home from Peterboro for the week-end.

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Mrs. S. Wright, Victoria Avenue, was a visitor in Toronto last week.

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Bazaar

Preparations for the Bazaar to be held by the combined charitable organizations in Hamilton are going ahead rapidly. The societies who are taking part besides the United Hebrew Association are: The Deborah Ladies' Aid, Council of Jewish Women, Bnai Brith [illegible] Ladies' Aid, Daughters of Israel and the Hebrew Benevolent Society. The Bazaar will take place the first week of December. Committees will begin to canvass early for donations and several showers are planned for articles for the various booths. The committee will meet for further arrangements on Tuesday evening, October [illegible], at the United Hebrew Building.

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The Deborah Ladies' Aid of Anshe Sholom held their regular meeting on Sunday afternoon [illegible] with a large attendance present. [illegible]

[illegible] Anshe Sholom Synagogue.

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Council

[illegible] The meetings will be held [illegible] the [illegible] of the Anshe Sholom Synagogue every Saturday evening from [illegible] o'clock. Girls of that age are

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Bnai Brith Stages Mock Trial

The breach of promise mock trial staged on Thursday evening last in the Empire Room at the Prince George Hotel by members of the Bnai Brith lodge was highly entertaining.

Inasmuch as the trial proceeded impromptu, there was ample display of native wit and humor, in which Mr. I. M. Singer, acting as judge, played a prominent part. Features of the trial were the reading of the love letters alleged to have passed between the parties and the appeal by counsel to the jury, over which Archie Draimin presided in his usual style. Rather surprising but effective was Nathan Phillips' astute address to the jury during which he coupled the desirability of a heavy verdict for the plaintiff with the impending Y.M.H.A. and Talmud Torah campaign, to which his client, Mr. I. M. Gordon, if successful in the trial, would be very pleased to render financial assistance. Mrs. Chas. I. Benjamin, as the "fair defendant" was "winning" all the way, as the judge later disclosed. Her counsel, Mr. Abraham Cohen, caused merriment by his introduction of the birth certificate evidence. Others among the cast were Miss Rose Manilla, Miss Eva Benjamin, Dr. Arthur Lipman, Mr. H. M. Finkle, Mr. "Bill" Levy, Mr. S. D. Pearlstein, Mr. Jack Friedland, Mr. Louis Sniliff and Mr. R. Lieberman.

"Y" NEWS

Literary

The opening debate of the Y.M.H.A. inter-club debating league will take place at the "Y" building on Sunday, October 21, at 8.30 p.m., on "Resolved, that France's policy in the Ruhr is justified." The affirmative will be upheld by the Belfours, who will be represented by Messrs. Herman Moscoe and Sam Nerofsky, and the negative will be in the hands of the Y.M.H.A., who will be represented by Messrs. Louis J. Breslin and Manuel Positz.

Dancing

Saturday night dances at the "Y" are proving popular with Jewish young men and young women. The music is of the very best and novelties are being introduced.

Basketball

The "Y" senior team is about to commence [illegible] the season and all [illegible] and all those wishing to [illegible] the team this year should get in touch with [illegible] Mr. George [illegible], the Secretary of the "Y" [illegible].

[illegible] basketball league is being formed [illegible] groups of the "Y" [illegible] members of these groups should get in touch with the leader of their group [illegible] with [illegible] immediately [illegible] will be given [illegible].

Inter Club

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Boxing

[illegible] are commendable [illegible] progress is being made by the members of the boxing class. The class is rapidly grown much too large for the present arrangements and as soon as a few more members are added it is contemplated to set aside [illegible] evening for this activity.

Orchestra

A meeting of all those interested in the "Y" orchestra has been arranged for Wednesday, October 17. Information can be obtained from the secretary at any time. All those who have instruments and are desirous of joining this orchestra are urged to attend this meeting.

Dues

There are still a large number of members who have not yet paid their dues for the present year and these are reminded that the "Y" needs money very urgently. All "Y" members are urged to make their friends new members.

OBITUARY

MR. L. S. TAUBE, PROMINENT MASON, DIES

In the death of Mr. L. S. Taube, Parkdale Mansions, Toronto, lost one of her oldest Jewish residents. Mr. Taube lived in the city for forty years. His death occurred Thursday last, after an operation performed five days previously. Mr. Taube was the original founder of the old Goel Tzedek Synagogue and was its first president, holding office for several terms. He was also a member of the Holy Blossom Synagogue. Mr. Taube was a life member of the Harmony Masonic Lodge, A.F. & A.M., and also chairman of the sick committee of the Mount Sinai Lodge, and a member of the various charitable organizations of the city. The deceased is survived by his wife, four daughters, Mrs. H. G. Harris, Buffalo, Miss Joseph K. Watson, New York, Mrs. P. H. Kettle, Minneapolis, Mrs. B. H. Kaplow, and two sons, Mr. Maurice Taube, New York; and Mr. Sydney Taube, Toronto. The children were all present at the funeral of their father with the exception of Mrs. Joseph Watson, who has since arrived in the city. The funeral, which was held Sunday, was one of the largest in the history of the Jewish community and was directed by the Mount Sinai Lodge A.F. & A.M. The pallbearers were Messrs. A. Brookstone, Phil Kaufman, Louis Kaplan, Rev. A. Brodey and Joseph Danson. The ceremony was conducted by Rabbi B. R. Brickner and Rabbi J. Siegel. The long cortege left for Pape Avenue cemetery, where the body was interred.

Mr. L. S. Taube

MRS. BERTHA CLAVIR

Due to an auto accident, the death occurred of Mrs. Bertha Clavir, 232 McCaul Street. The deceased is survived by her husband, three daughters, Mrs. Alter, Mrs. Clayman, Toronto, Mrs. Milgosser, Oshawa, and son, Mr. S. Kling, Detroit.

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Y.M.H.A. WIN FIRST GAME

The Y.M.H.A. of the senior city series defeated the St. Georges at Trinity Park by the score of 16-6. The "Y" team displayed splendid form and will be hard to keep out of the city finals. The outstanding stars of the game were Barney Cohen and Gold and Umma Goldman on the half line. On the line H. Hersenhoren was good and was ably supported by G. Lister and Samuels. Louie Lister's tackling was a feature of the game. Barney Cohen was good defensively. The same two teams will play again next Saturday at Willowvale Park.

"Y" BRANCH CLUB

The Rose Caplan Girls gave a farewell party last Sunday in honour of Miss Sadie Shapiro, who is leaving Toronto to make her home in New York. A fountain pen was presented to her with the club initials.

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invited to be present next Saturday evening, when the club convenors will be there to register all newcomers.

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United Hebrew Congregation

The regular meeting of the United Hebrew Association was held on Sunday evening, October 7, with a fair attendance. The committee elected for the bazaar were Messrs. J. Goldblatt, P. Phillips, S. Davidowitz, Chas. Shapiro, A. Halpern, H. Sidorski, M. Grimblatt, I. Lewis, Rev. J. Levinson.

Talmud Torah

The Talmud Torah Committee reports a large number of new pupils who have registered this week. The committee is contemplating engaging another teacher if more pupils enroll.

"YIZKOR" AT STANDARD THEATRE

Undoubtedly the best performance of the season so far, "Yizkor" drew capacity audiences at the Standard Theatre last week. The cast worked well in their various parts and the production was most satisfactory.

"Yizkor" is one of the few Jewish plays of the present season that is worthy of production. It is the work of Seckler and had its premiere at the Jewish Art Theatre, New York City, this spring. It was the play with which the Morris Schwartz company closed its last season. It is tragedy—yet it does not ladle out the tears with a soup spoon.

Mischa German, in the role of the coal-burner, does some fine work. His scene with Madame Gutentag, who takes the roll of the princess, is extremely difficult to put across, but was well received at each performance by an enthusiastic audience. Lucy German played the part of the inn-keeper's daughter and her performance excelled all her other work this year.

Manashe Skulnick, whose character work has been outstanding all year, appeared in a new role and again scored with his audience. Madame Guttentag made a distinct impression and Esther Field, Morris Goldberg and the rest of the cast all performed well. There was a high tension throughout, even in the most difficult moments.